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1 **AN ACT** *to create* 253.16 of the statutes; **relating to:** permitting a mother to
2 breast-feed in any public or private location where she and her child are
3 otherwise authorized to be.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

4 **SECTION 1.** 253.16 of the statutes is created to read:
5 **253.16 Right to breast-feed.** A mother may breast-feed her child in any
6 public or private location where the mother and child are otherwise authorized to be.
7 In such a location, no person may prohibit a mother from breast-feeding her child,
8 direct a mother to move to a different location to breast-feed her child, direct a
9 mother to cover her child or breast while breast-feeding, or otherwise restrict a
10 mother from breast-feeding her child as provided in this section.

(1) **RIGHT TO BREAST-FEED.** This act first applies to acts occurring on the effective

date of this subsection.

(END)